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For : PICTURE ANGLE DETECTION APPARATUS AND SCANNING LINES  
INTERPOLATION APPARATUS USING THE SAME

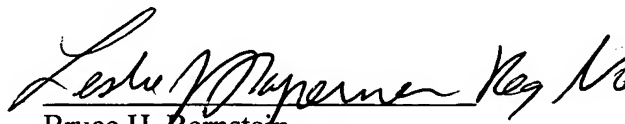
**CLAIM OF PRIORITY**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby claims the right of priority granted pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 119 and 365 based upon Japanese Application Nos. 2002-131230, filed May 7, 2002; and 2003-123406, April 28, 2003. The International Bureau already should have sent certified copies of the Japanese applications to the United States designated office. If the certified copies have not arrived, please contact the undersigned.

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